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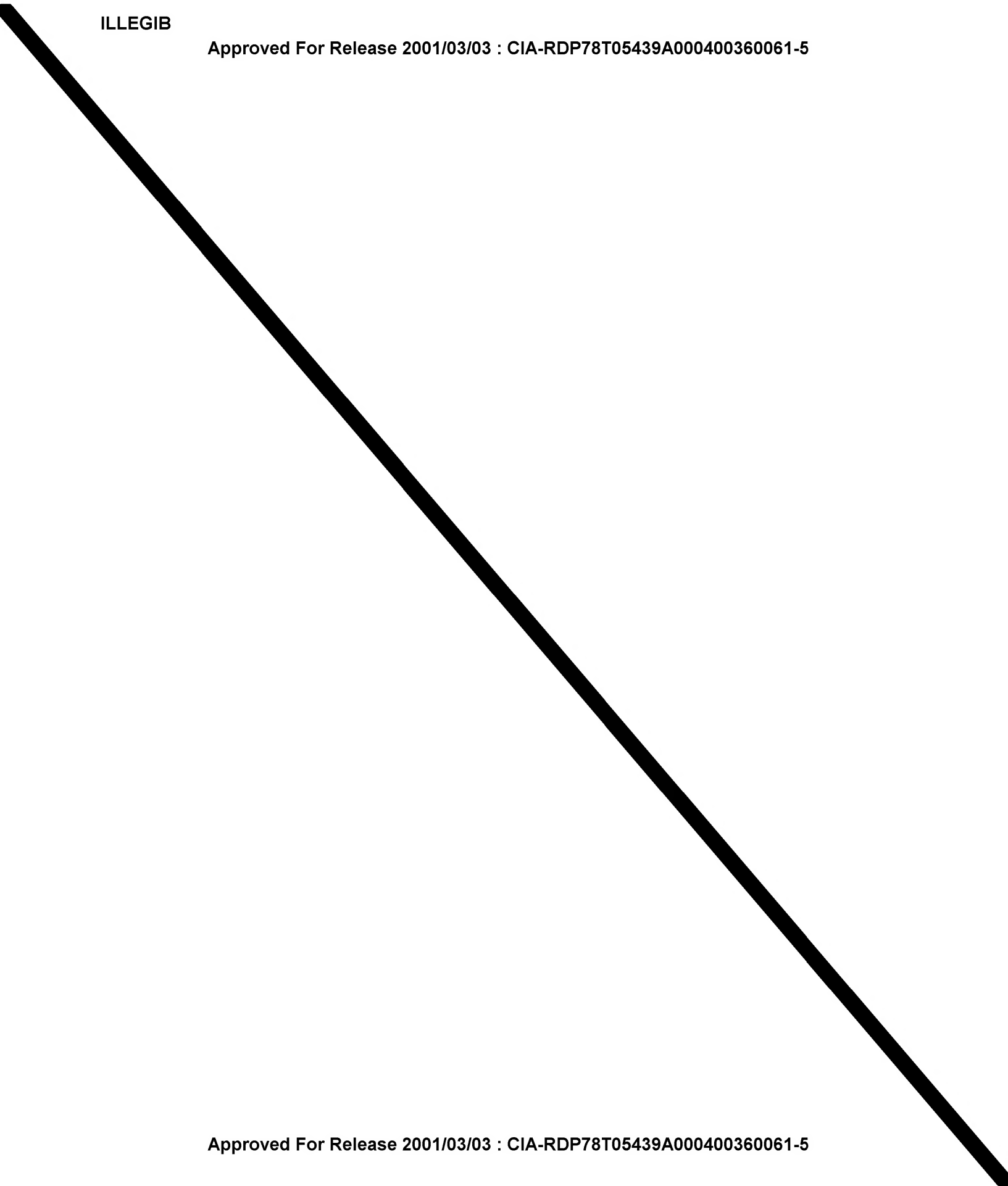

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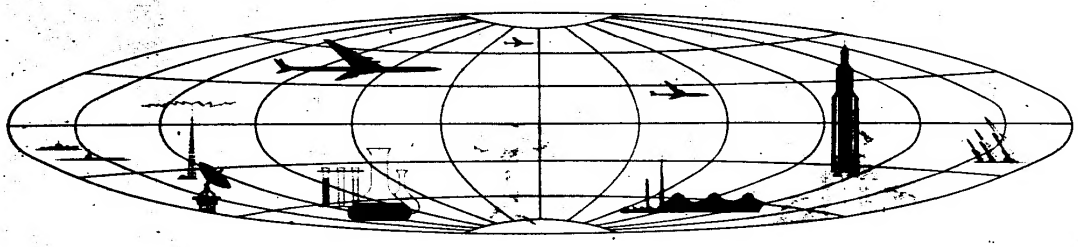

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PREFACE

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In the interest of uniformity, the titles and letter designators for the facilities observed at these installations are identical with those appearing in the project requirement. When a specific facility is not observed both its title and letter designator are omitted in the report.

Titles and letter designators for the various facilities are as follows: (A) railroad service, (B) road service, (C) landing strips, (D) administrative and troop housing areas, (E) storage areas, (F) ammunition storage areas, (G) POL storage areas, (H) other buildings and facilities, (J) equipment storage maintenance areas, (K) athletic fields, (L) small arms firing ranges, (M) driver training areas, (N) tank/assault gun firing ranges, (P) flat trajectory firing ranges, (Q) artillery emplacements (batteries), (R) infantry or combined arms field training areas or courses, (S) special training facilities, (T) unidentified facilities or tracking activity.

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PROBABLE MILITARY STORAGE AREA
(44-02N 043-02E)
PYATIGORSK, VOLGOGRADSKAYA OBLAST, USSR
NORTH CAUCASUS MD

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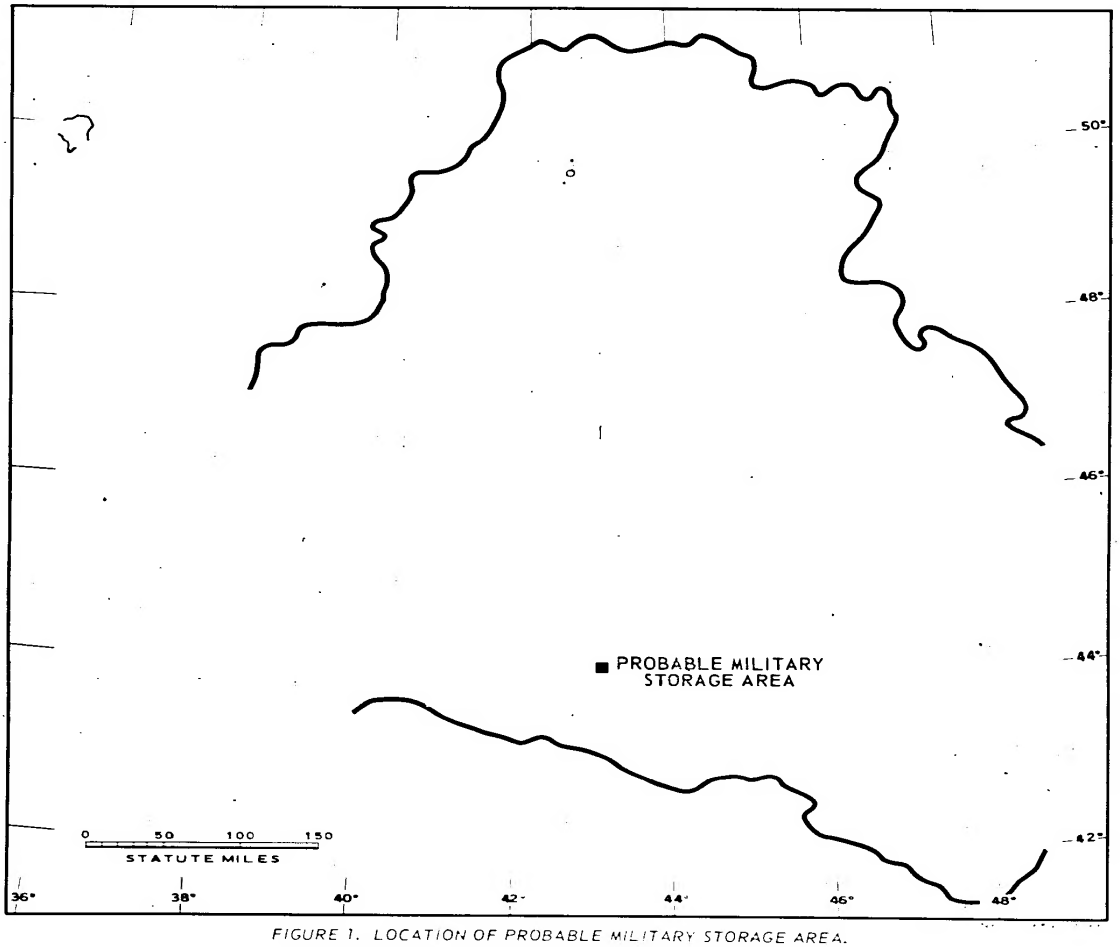

FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF PROBABLE MILITARY STORAGE AREA.

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FIGURE 2. PROBABLE MILITARY STORAGE AREA, PYATIGORSK, USSR. [redacted]

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SUMMARY

A fenced probable military storage area covering approximately 45 acres is located within the city of Pyatigorsk (Figure 1).

A probable administration building, 4 quarters, 8 probable storage buildings, 2 vehicle/maintenance sheds, 5 probable support buildings, and 6 miscellaneous buildings are scattered throughout the installation (Figures 2 and 3).

This probable military storage area is listed in the Bombing Encyclopedia as Pyatigorsk Army Barracks NW (BE No [redacted] 25X1A

[redacted] 25X1D

[redacted] cover this installation; a comparison of photography reveals no changes in or around the area. 25X1D

DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Railroad Service

A double-track rail line parallels the south boundary of the installation.

Road Service

The installation is served by a primary road.

Aircraft Landing Strips

A sod-surfaced airfield is located adjacent to the west boundary of the area.

Administrative and Troop Housing Area

The installation contains a probable administration building (unfinished, but no construction activity evident), 4 quarters, 5 probable support buildings and 6 miscellaneous buildings.

General Storage Areas

The installation also contains 8 probable storage buildings.

Equipment Storage/Maintenance Area

The installation contains 2 vehicle/maintenance sheds, one 190 by 40 feet and one 140 by 25 feet.

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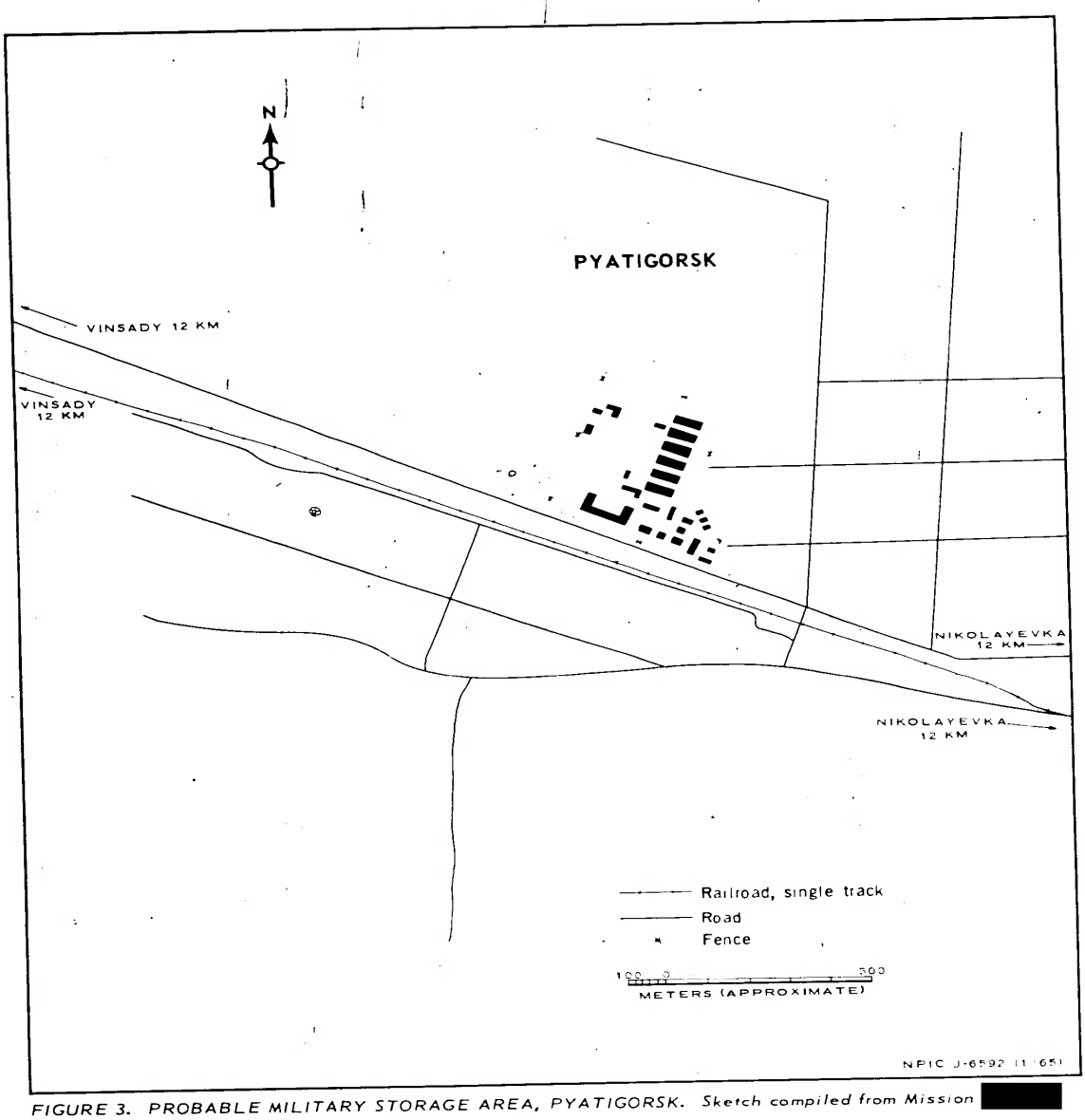

FIGURE 3. PROBABLE MILITARY STORAGE AREA, PYATIGORSK. Sketch compiled from Mission [redacted] 25X1D

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